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The Honorable Charles L.A. Terreni
Executive Director
South Carolina Public Service Commission
Post Office Drawer 11649
Columbia, South Carolina 29211

RE: dPi Teleconnect, LLC, Complainant/Petitioner
v. BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc., Defendant/Respondent
Docket No. 2005-358-C, Our File No. 536-11404

Dear Mr. Terreni:

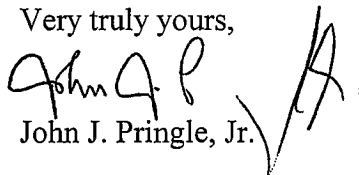
Enclosed please find two copies of the **Verified Application for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* in the State of South Carolina** for filing on behalf of dPi Teleconnect, LLC in the above-referenced docket. By copy of this letter, I am serving the originals of these documents, along with the requested \$250 filing fee with the Supreme Court and copying all parties of record with this document.

Please acknowledge your receipt of this document by file-stamping the copy of this letter enclosed, and returning it in the enclosed envelope.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please do not hesitate to contact me.

With kind regards, I am

Very truly yours,


John J. Pringle, Jr.

cc: Clerk of Court, Supreme Court of South Carolina (originals, via hand-delivery)
Nannette Edwards, Esquire
Christopher Malish, Esquire
Mr. Brian Bolinger
all parties of record

Enclosures

THIS DOCUMENT IS AN EXACT DUPLICATE OF THE E-FILED COPY SUBMITTED TO THE COMMISSION IN ACCORDANCE WITH ITS ELECTRONIC FILING INSTRUCTIONS.

DOCKET NO. 2005-358-C

BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.,
Defendant/Respondent

**VERIFIED APPLICATION FOR
ADMISSION *PRO HAC VICE* IN THE
STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA**

Comes now Christopher Malish, applicant herein, and respectfully represents the following:

1. Applicant resides at 1403 West Sixth Street, Austin, Texas 78703.
2. Applicant is an attorney and a member of the law firm of **Foster Malish Blair & Cowan, LLP, with offices located at 1403 West Sixth Street, Austin, Texas 78703. Telephone: 512/476-8591.**
3. Applicant has been retained personally or as a member of the above named law firm by to provide legal representation in connection with the above case now pending before the Public Service Commission of South Carolina.
4. Since November 4, 1994, applicant has been, and presently is, a member in good standing of the bar of the highest court of the **State of Texas** where applicant regularly practices law. Attached is a certificate of good standing.
5. Applicant has been admitted to practice before the following courts: (List all of the following courts

Court:

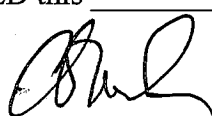
Date Admitted:

United States District Court Northern District of Texas
United States Court of Appeals, Fifth Circuit
United States Western District Court of Texas
All State Courts, Texas

September 22, 2006
November 14, 2003
June 10, 1997
November 4, 1994

6. Applicant is presently a member in good standing of the bars of those courts listed above.
7. Applicant presently is not subject to any suspension or disbarment proceedings, and has not been formally notified of any complaints pending before a disciplinary agency.
8. Applicant never has had any application for admission *pro hac vice* in this or any other jurisdiction denied or any *pro hac vice* admission revoked.
9. Applicant never has had any certificate or privilege to appear and practice before any administrative body suspended or revoked.
10. Local counsel of record associated with applicant in this case is **John J. Pringle, Jr. of Ellis, Lawhorne & Sims, P.A. located at 1501 Main Street, 5th Floor, P.O. Box 2285, Columbia SC 29202 (telephone: 803-343-1270, facsimile: 803-799-8479).**
11. Applicant has never previously filed an application to appear *pro hac vice* in South Carolina.
12. Applicant agrees to comply with the applicable statutes, laws and rules of the State of South Carolina and will familiarize him/herself with and comply with the South Carolina Rules of Professional Conduct. Applicant consents to the jurisdiction of the South Carolina courts and Commission on Lawyer Conduct.
13. Applicant respectfully requests to be admitted to practice in the above named forum for this case only.

DATED this 25th day of January, 2007.



Christopher Malish

VERIFICATION

State of Texas)

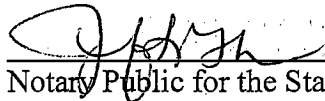
County of Travis)

I, Christopher Malish, do hereby swear or affirm under penalty of perjury that I am the applicant in the above styled matter; that I have read the foregoing application and know the contents thereof; and that the contents are true of my own knowledge, except as to those matters stated on information and belief, and that as to those matters I believe them to be true.



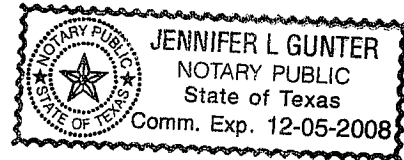
Christopher Malish
APPLICANT/AFFIANT

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 25 day of January, 2007.



Notary Public for the State of Texas

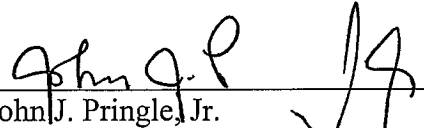
My Commission Expires: 12/05/08



LOCAL COUNSEL CONSENT

I hereby consent, as local counsel of record, to the association of applicant in this cause pursuant to Rules Governing Admission *Pro Hac Vice* to the South Carolina Bar.

DATED this 27th day of February, 2007.



John J. Pringle, Jr.
Local Counsel of Record

STATE BAR OF TEXAS



Office of The Chief Disciplinary Counsel

February 20, 2007

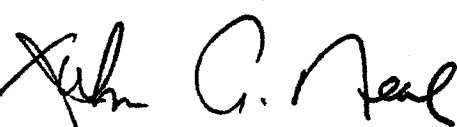
RE: **Mr. Anton Christopher Malish**
State Bar Number - **00791164**

To Whom it May Concern:

This is to certify that Mr. Anton Christopher Malish was licensed to practice law in Texas on November 04, 1994 and is an active member in good standing with the State Bar of Texas.

Good Standing means that the attorney is current on payment of Bar dues and attorney occupation tax; has met Minimum Continuing Legal Education requirements; and is not presently under either administrative or disciplinary suspension.

No disciplinary action involving professional misconduct has been taken against the attorney's law license. This certification expires 30 days from this date, unless sooner revoked or rendered invalid by operation of rule or law.


John A. Neal
Chief Disciplinary Counsel



CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I, the undersigned, do hereby certify that I have served the original of this application upon the South Carolina Supreme Court via hand-delivery, addressed to: South Carolina Supreme Court Office of Bar Admissions, 1231 Gervais Street, Columbia, SC 29201, accompanied by payment of the \$250 filing fee payable to the South Carolina Supreme Court on this 27th day of February, 2007.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Carol Roof", written over a horizontal line.

Carol Roof
Paralegal

**BEFORE
THE PUBLIC SERVICE COMMISSION OF
SOUTH CAROLINA
DOCKET NO. 2005-358-C**

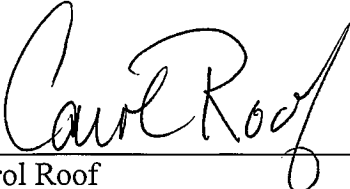
IN RE:)	
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dPi Teleconnect, LLC,)	
Complainant/Petitioner)	
v.)	CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE
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BellSouth Telecommunications, Inc.,)	
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Defendant/Respondent)	

This is to certify that I have caused to be served this day, one (1) copy of the **Verified Application for Admission *Pro Hac Vice* in the State of South Carolina** via electronic mail service and by placing a copy of same in the care and custody of the United States Postal Service (unless otherwise specified), with proper first-class postage affixed hereto and addressed as follows:

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Clerk of Court
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1231 Gervais St.
Columbia SC 29201



Carol Roof

February 27, 2007
Columbia, South Carolina